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SUBJECT: NATIONAL DAY MESSAGE

- 1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING TO PRESIDENT AHIDJO ON OR BEFORE MAY 20. QUOTE DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: ON THIS YOUR NATIONAL DAY, IT IS MY PRIVILEGE AND PLEASURE TO SEND TO YOU AND YOUR COUNTRYMEN THE WARMEST GREETINGS OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. PLEASE ACCEPT ALSO MY BEST PERSONAL WISHES TO YOU AND MY REAFFIRMATION OF OUR COMMITMENT TO THE TRADITION OF FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD UNQUOTE
- 2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN RELEASE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION TO RELEASE BY RECIPIENT. KISSINGER

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